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In re Application of:

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Application No.: Div. of 09/161,741

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For: MULTI-STEP DIGITAL  
SIGNATURE METHOD AND SYSTEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please make the following amendments to the above-identified application.

**AMENDMENTS**

Please amend this application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the following paragraphs of the specification as indicated:

Title: -- METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ROAMING USE OF CRYPTOGRAPHIC  
VALUES --.

Page 1, first paragraph:

-- This application is a division of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/161,741, which was a  
continuation of U.S. Patent Application No.09/869,253--